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## COMING EVENTS

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- July 2 Meeting of School Board at Cerritos School, 8 p. m.
- July 2 Red Cross meeting at City Hall at 1 p. m.
- July 6 Meeting of Cerritos P.T.A. at Cerritos School, 3. p.m.
- July 11 Dance by the Tropico Band at K. of P. Hall.
- June 28 Meeting of Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society  
at home of O. P. Rider at 2:30 o'clock.
- July 3 Dance by Acacia School Club at K. of P. Hall, 8 p. m.
- July 4 Epworth League Picnic at Hermosa Beach.
- July 4 Patriotic celebration and Dance on Tropico Play  
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In last Sunday's "Times" the editor of "Fact and Comment" roasts the Los Angeles Council good and plenty for its procrastination and promise-breaking in connection with an appropriation of \$15000 for a bridge at Ivanhoe, which it is again proposing to include in the budget. He says:

"If the bridge of the river at Ivanhoe involved a tremendous engineering problem and an outlay of hundreds of thousands, one might understand why the project should be side-tracked. As it is, anyone who has ever investigated the merits of the enterprise cannot but be lost in wonderment at the shortsightedness of the officials."

As the Sentinel goes to press Trustee Stephen Veselich telephones the bridge is assured, that County Supervisors have appropriated \$5,000 for it, and that L. A. City Council promises the rest.

Miss Audrey Haynes is spending the week with her uncle, S. H. Rich, of Los Angeles.

An audience which taxed the capacity of the Tropico Methodist church assembled Sunday evening to hear Al Saunders. He gave an interesting account of his conversion by Billy Sunday who found him a drunken fishmonger and made him a self-respecting man and evangelistic worker. Mr. Eby, financial secretary of the Sunday campaign, was also present. At the close of the service a collection was taken up for Al Saunders.

## BIG ENDEAVOR CONVENTION

Four thousand delegates from all parts of California are expected to attend the 30th annual State Christian Endeavor Convention at Riverside June 27th to July 1st. There will be 700 from Los Angeles city and 800 from the rest of the county. Two special trains from Los Angeles will be required to convey the delegates to Riverside. Howard Brown, the State President, announces that the program will be the most comprehensive and effective ever arranged.

Miss Phoebe Snell of the Presbyterian church will be one of the delegates from Tropico and Miss Dora Hewett of the Methodist church will also be a delegate. Many other Sunday school workers in this city plan to go to special sessions.

Miss Regina Bacon was graduated from the Los Angeles Normal last Thursday.

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### LAST CLUB MEETING

Several small items of business were transacted at the final meeting of the Thursday Afternoon Club, held last week, though a program and social session alone had been planned. The Treasurer reported a balance in the treasury of \$80.34 and a report was made of items of business transacted by the Library Building Association which is affiliated with the club.

A beautiful patriotic bouquet of red, white and blue flowers was presented to Mrs. Kimberly, the retiring president by Mrs. Edwin Virden as an expression of the club's appreciation of Mrs. Kimberly's work during the past year. Though taken by surprise Mrs. Kimberly made graceful and fitting acknowledgments.

The installation of incoming officers was effected under a new plan, each retiring officer presenting her successor. As some of the officers elect were not present their responses had to be made by others. Most of the speeches were brief acknowledgments of the honor bestowed by the club in placing them in office and assurances of their intent to serve the club faithfully to the best of their ability. Miss Ida Myers, though not present, contributed the following clever parody. Miss Myers was elected to succeed herself as Treasurer:

I love it! I love it! and who shall dare  
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chair

I've treasured it long as a coveted  
prize,

I've bedecked it with smiles and embalmed it with sighs.

'Tis bound by a thousand bands to my heart,

Not a tie will break, not a link will start.

Would you know the spell?  
Fame and pleasure together sit there,  
And a desirable thing is the treasurer's chair.

'Tis mine! 'Tis mine! and I think of it now

With smiling lips and satisfied brow.

'Tis there I shall sit! 'tis there I shall die

And none can remove me, if they try.

Too busy at club my friends to greet—

Yet to count the gold is a wonderful treat.

I love it! I love it! and cannot tear myself from the precious treasurer's chair.

—Ida D. Myers.

In introducing her successor in office, Mrs. Wesley Bullis, president elect, said: "In my report I endeavored to express my appreciation of the service of all who have assisted in the year's work. I cannot do better than to assure you of the sincerity of those expressions and thank you again. Never in the history of the world have women's responsibilities been so heavy as now. May you climb step by step up the rugged path of success until you are able to proclaim: 'I have made a good fight and served my country well.' The greatest asset is a spirit of harmony. In union there is strength."

Mrs. Bullis said in response: "I sincerely hope in the ensuing year we may do as well as the club has done under the able supervision of our president, Mrs. Kimberly. I am trying not to fear this year and am sending up a little prayer that our year may be full of love for each other. I hope we can do our work and do it well."

Mrs. Bullis announced her commitments for the coming year as follows:

Program: Mesdames A. J. Becker, L. E. Richardson, C. L. Peckham, E. F. Tholen, Edgar Fry.

Ways and Means: Mrs. A. C. Fleury and Board of Directors.

Social Service: Mesdames Thomas Gaither, Hal Davenport, E. V. Bacon, D. O. Martin, R. L. Kennedy.

Civics: Mesdames E. V. Bacon, A. L. Bancroft, Grace Webster, Dr. Jessie Russell, Miss Gertrude Gibbs.

Hospitality: Mesdames Leigh Bancroft, Herbert Smith, D. O. Chandler, Thomas Gaither, Perry Griswold.

Courtesy: Mesdames S. E. Brown, Ella Richardson, C. H. Woolsey, Edgar Fry, W. C. Mabry, Leslie Eames.

Membership: Mesdames Mary Ayres, A. J. Becker, W. C. Mabry, Hal Davenport, Leslie Eames.

City Club Civics: Miss Gertrude Gibbs, Mesdames E. V. Bacon, A. L. Bancroft, Charles A. Barker, Edwin Virden.

Red Cross: Mesdames R. L. Kennedy, Francis Moore.

Parliamentarian: Mrs. Ella Richardson.



Chairman of Legislation: Dr. Jessie Russell.

Press Correspondent: Miss Ida Myers.

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#### PROGRAM

A very delightful musical and dramatic program had been provided which the club enjoyed to the utmost.

Mrs. J. A. Legge of Glendale sang several numbers most charmingly, Miss Beach of the same city furnishing the piano accompaniment. Her first song was "Love Bells" by Arthur Charlton. For an encore she sang the dear old fashioned favorite "The Lass With the Delicate Air." She also closed the program with: "Just a-wearyin' for You," playing her own accompaniment.

The dramatic part of the program was furnished by Miss Alice Frank of Eagle Rock, who read the "Maker of Dreams," from a manuscript copy. It was new to all the club members and was a pleasant surprise, as Miss Frank's interpretation of the delicate, airy poetic creation left little to be desired.

At the conclusion of the program ice cream and cake were served by the refreshment committee: Mesdames L. E. Richardson, D. O. Chandler, Henry P. Goodwin, A. J. Becker and William Mabry.

Mrs. Leigh Bancroft and her assistants, Mesdames C. H. Woolsey, R. L. Kennedy, Mary Ayres and J. Herbert Smith were credited with the effective floral decorations of Shasta daisies and coreopsis.

#### FAREWELL DANCE

The Senior Farewell Dance was a large and fine affair. It came off Friday evening at Masonic Hall with all the appropriate embellishments. The class colors, orange and black, featured the decorations in which the pennants won by the class and its silver cup were conspicuously displayed. Shasta daisies and ferns were lavishly employed and the globes of the chandeliers repeated the national colors, red white and blue. Orange and black were also in evidence in the programs which were printed on orange paper with a black cover. While it was the Senior dance and Seniors were to the

fore, there was a fine background of parents and friends who came to admire and enjoy the pretty scene in which the boys looked very handsome and manly in their glad clothes, and the girls all lovely in their pretty party gowns. But there were two seniors who were not there, Walter Hawkins, who is now an army aviator, and William Dryer who is serving his country in the navy.

When the music struck up, and it was fine music, furnished by the Howdy Band, Ed Seay, president of the class, and Aileen Preeman advanced to place and led the grand march. The other numbers must be imagined. Everybody danced and everybody had a good time. That was seen to by the committee of arrangements which consisted of Helen Hardin, Catherine Phillips, Irving Westwood and Edward Seay, who were also reinforced by the patronesses who were: Mesdames I. J. Phillips, Lowney Lyon, D. H. Imler, S. H. Harden and V. T. Brown.

#### SEAMAN FAMILY GOES EAST

Disquieting news from the east in regard to the health of Dr. Weston made Mrs. John Seaman advance the date of her departure for Chicago, much to the regret of her friends who hoped to have an opportunity for a final visit with her. She and her daughters Eloise and Jeanette and her little son Joseph left Monday morning at nine o'clock via the Santa Fe. At the station in Los Angeles they were met by a delegation of about thirty students of Union High, friends of Eloise who deluged her with a travel shower which included everything a normal girl would want or use on an overland journey. It was an altogether delightful surprise. The Seamans will leave quite a hole in the school and the community. They have been the recipients of many farewell gifts and attentions from a large circle of friends in Tropico and Glendale who are not at all reconciled to losing them. A stop will be made in Chicago for a week or ten days at the home of Mrs. Seaman's father, Dr. Weston, and from there they will go to Middletown, Ohio, where Mr. Seaman awaits them and where they will make their future home.

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Mrs. R. L. Branson and Mrs. W. E. Daugherty, who have been guests at Hotel Tropico for a few weeks, left the first of the week with the two children of Mrs. Branson for Atolia in Kern County where they will join Messers Branson and Dougherty.

Mr. Branson is a miner and is working some of the old tungsten mines with highly profitable results.

Miss Hifle of Los Angeles was the guest of Mrs. Charles Wallace Kimberly at the closing meeting of the Thursday Club.

Mrs. Henry P. Goodwin has cook books for sale which have been compiled by the Tuesday Afternoon Club of Glendale.

A meeting of the Cerritos P. T. A. will be held at the Cerritos School Friday afternoon July 6th. The program as announced by the president, Mrs. Ella Richardson includes readings by Miss Shirley Chase, and dancing by Miss Nordain. Mrs. A. A. Barton will give a demonstration in canning and a Juvenile court officer from Los Angeles will address the meeting on the motto: "Use your head, lend a hand, have a heart".

Berna Martin of Tropico has been made Chief of Staff of the Union High's school paper, "The Explosion." Frank Balthis who carried off oratory honors, is editor in chief

County Supervisors have agreed to inspect the bridges across the wash at North Brand Boulevard with a view to their improvement.

Mrs. H. Bombard returned to her home on Tropico avenue last Thursday. She had expected to spend the summer in Idaho but the climate did not agree with her and she was glad to come back to our city.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Van Wie and family are taking in the Press Club meeting at Glen Ivy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Haynes and family spent Friday at Long Beach.

Mrs. Melinda Riley of Cypress avenue who suffered a bad fall in which she broke her wrist and injured her hip a few weeks ago, was taken by auto last week to the home of her daughter, Mrs. Wolf, in Pomona. She stood the journey well and had a good night's rest after it.

Mrs. Horace Miller of Los Angeles was the guest last week of her mother, Mrs. Mary Rich of Tropico avenue.

Mrs. Myers of Palmer avenue has joined her husband in Long Beach and will spend several weeks there.

Mrs. A. Hawn, sister of Mrs. Thomas Gaither, left Tropico Friday the 15th for Sacramento where she expected to transact some business and then go to Klamath Falls to spend the summer with her brother

Mrs. J. Spear of 1434 Vine Street, Glendale, left the latter part of the week for her summer home in Sunland where she will spend the coming two months. Her daughter has just graduated from the Intermediate School.

Miss Anna E. Cutting spent the week end in Sunland with Mrs. J. Spear.

Mrs. Louise Purnell of West Tenth street has just returned from a delightful auto trip in the North. Stops were made at Carson City, Sacramento, Silver Lake, a beautiful body of water lying at an elevation of 8000 feet, and at Lake Tahoe, where they found snow June 16th. The return journey was made by the coast route. Mrs. Purnell was accompanied by Miss May and Mr. T. Morgan of Boston.

Rev. J. H. Henry of Central avenue has gone to Bakersfield on a business and pleasure trip and is having a nice visit with old parishoners in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chandler of Cypress avenue are visiting their son, L. O. Chandler at Tajon Pass on the Ridge Route.

Miss Nettie Werve, who was one of the graduates of Union High and who has been staying with Mrs. William Klee of West Park avenue since the departure of the Werve family, will join them in the Imperial Valley the first of the week.

The Roharo Club will have a celebration and dance Fourth of July evening on the Municipal Playground.

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Miss Mabel Linkletter arrived in Tropico June 19th "out of the somewhere into here" by the stork route. She was not a heavy burden for the stork, weighing only eight pounds, but what she lacked in weight she made up in quality, for she is a fine, lusty little girl. She was born at the home of Mrs. E. V. Bacon on San Fernando Boulevard and is the third child born to Mr. and Mrs. William A. Linkletter who expect to spend the summer in Tropico on Boynton avenue. In the fall they will return to their ranch at Calipatria in the Imperial Valley.

Mrs. Robert Danner and Mrs. C. E. Goddard accompanied Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Beck of Eagle Rock on an automobile trip to Oakland returning last week during the very hot weather. They drove through Fresno and Maderia and were within sight of some of the fires. Mrs. Danner reports that she kept a wet handkerchief over her face during most of the homeward journey.

Mrs. Emma Moses, mother of Mrs. A. Baum, of North Glendale avenue, died last Saturday afternoon. She was an elderly woman of about eighty years. Funeral services were held at the Baum home Monday morning and the remains were taken to Los Angeles for cremation. Mrs. Moses was the mother of six daughters, two of whom were with her when she died.

The annual all-day picnic of N. P. Banks Post and Woman's Relief Corps will be held at Echo Park July 27th. While no general invitation is being issued, friends of members will be welcome if they will bring well filled baskets.

Mr. Bridges of Mountain View avenue, his wife and two children have gone overland by automobile to San Francisco, where, according to report, Mr. Bridges has taken a government position under the civil service. His house has been leased to Los Angeles parties.

Last Sunday morning was "Missionary Day" at the Tropico Methodist church. Rev. Don S. Ford preached upon missions in India and subscriptions were secured for the education and support of a native Bible worker.

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George Nelson Lunn, husband of Mrs. Betsy Jane Lunn and father of Mrs. Hal Davenport, died last Friday at the family home, 223 North Glendale avenue. He had been in poor health for some time and seriously ill for several weeks. Last April he celebrated his 82nd birthday. He was a native of Macomb County, Michigan, but was of English extraction, his parents, George and Hannah Lunn having migrated to Michigan from Scarborough, England. At a later date they bought a farm at Fairplanes, near Greenville, Michigan, where their youngest son, W. P. Lunn, only brother of the deceased, still lives.

In 1863 George Lunn, who had learned the carpenter's trade, was engaged to build a house for a Mr. Day living at Keene, about eighteen miles from his home. To save time he boarded in the family of his patron and met his fate in Betsy Jane Day who became his wife. About this time he received an inheritance from England. It was in gold and worth double its face value in American currency, gold being at a premium during the civil war. With this money Mr. Lunn purchased a farm across the road from his father-in-law and there Mrs. Hal Davenport, his only child, was born. Later the Lunn family moved to Stanton, Michigan,

where for several years Mr. Lunn carried on a bakery and confectionery business. In 1883 they moved to Nebraska where they spent seven years and where Mrs. Davenport met and married Mr. Davenport. To California they came in 1890, Mr. and Mrs. Lunn purchasing an orange ranch at Irwindale which is still in the family and where the Lunn's lived until about seven years ago when they moved to Tropico in order to be near their daughter and grand-children.

Mr. Lunn was a devoted Methodist and the son of a Methodist preacher. Services conducted by the Rev. Don S. Ford were held at the Davenport home last Saturday afternoon. They were very simple services and were limited to the reading of the Twenty-third Psalm with comments by the pastor, and the singing of "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Lead Kindly Light" by Dr. P. O. Lucas and Mrs. William Crawford. Old friends and neighbors, some from Nebraska and some from Irwindale, served as pall bearers. Those who performed the sad service were: Charles Snively of Santa Ana, John Benedict and George McKee now of Los Angeles but formerly of Nebraska, F. C. Devendorf of Irwindale, Thomas Gaither and F. E. Peters of Tropico. Interment was made in Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

The funeral was largely attended as Mr. Lunn was universally respected and had many friends. Floral tributes were many and included some very beautiful pieces.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the many who have helped us by their sympathy and service to bear our great sorrow and bereavement in the death of George Nelson Lunn, and to all who paid tribute to his memory by floral offerings, we wish to express our grateful thanks.

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## FOOD PLEDGES

The Los Angeles County organization of the Woman's Council for Defense was organized last Monday at the Council headquarters in Los Angeles at 719 South Hill street. Several hundred women were present and Dr. Jessie A. Russell, chairman pro tem, presided. Speeches were made by Messrs. W. W. Stephens, A. F. Naftzger, Mesdames Frank Gibson and H. A. Cable. A permanent organization was then effected with the following officers: Chairman, Dr. Jessie A. Russell; Vice Chairmen, Mesdames L. W. Harmon, Frederick C. Houser, M. E. Jenkins; Secretary, Mrs. Clarence Van Graham; Treasurer, Mrs. Martha W. Law.

The first work of this council will be to secure the signing by women of the food pledge requested by President Wilson and by Food Commissioner Hoover. Committees will be appointed in every locality to push this work as 75,000 to 100,000 of these pledges must be secured within the next few days. The pledges will be forwarded to the Department at Washington, there listed, and literature will then be forwarded direct to the signers. The editor of this paper, Miss Gibbs, has been appointed chairman for this city and will have a supply of the pledges at the Sentinel office and elsewhere in the city by Friday. Tropico women are urged to make a record in the signing of these pledges which stand for the conservation of food.

## TROPICO-LENDALE ASSOCIATION

A Tropico-Lendale Consolidation Association was organized last Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wallace Kimberly on San Fernando Road with an enrollment of thirty-seven. Arguments against annexation to Los Angeles on account of its restrictive ordinances were presented by Messrs. Norton C. Wells, Charles Burnham, Herman Paine, Dr. Duncan and others. Officers elected were: Mrs. J. A. Gregory, Chairman; Richard A. Todd, Secretary-Treasurer.

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## BAND DANCE

The boys of the Tropico Band have announced a dance at the K. of P. Hall on Brand Boulevard for the night of July 11th. It is perhaps needless

to give assurance that the music will be good or that a good time is certain to all who attend. The boys have given parties in the past and established their reputations in the entertainment line.

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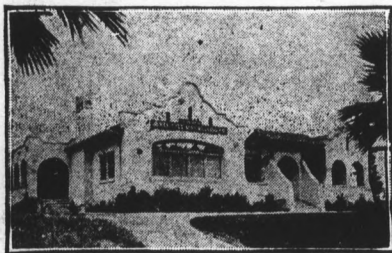
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### MARGARET A BEEMAN

Mrs. Margaret A. Beemon, who has been critically ill for a long time, died Sunday evening at her home, 211 East Palmer avenue and was laid to rest in Evergreen Cemetery beside the body of her husband Tuesday afternoon following a Christian Science service at the parlors of Booth & Fitch in Los Angeles.

Miss Hendy, who had been her companion and business partner for thirty years, was with her when she died. Her nephew, H. W. Fleming, whom she adopted when he was orphaned at three months of age and who has been like a son to her, was also at her bedside.

Mrs. Beeman was a woman of wonderful ability and character and a big heart. For a number of years she and Miss Hendy was in business in Omaha. Leaving that city they came to Los Angeles and conducted one of the best known stores on Broadway until about a year ago when ill health made it necessary for Mrs. Beeman to retire from business life. She elected to come to Tropic that she might be near Mr. Fleming as she and he were the last of their family. In her death he is specially bereaved as she was the only mother he ever knew and the tie between them was unusually close. Much of the married life of Mr. and Mrs. Fleming was spent in Mrs. Beeman's home, and Mrs. Fleming feels the loss keenly.

Margaret Beeman was not alone a good business manager but a generous, public spirited woman. She always had with her motherless girls to whom she gave a home and whom she employed in her business. Such a character wins many friends and in order that the many to whom her death has brought personal grief might have a chance to pay the last tributes of affection, the services were held in Los Angeles.

### SUMMER SCHOOL

Summer School will be held in the Cerritos avenue school beginning Monday, July 2nd. Those wishing to attend please communicate with Annie L. Curtiss, 'phone West 2087.

Join the Red Cross. It needs your dollar and your service.

### MRS. WILSON SURPRISED

Mrs. C. Wilson of Gardena avenue was completely surprised last Saturday evening by a party of friends who dropped in to celebrate her birthday, bringing refreshments and gifts. Part of the evening was spent in singing the old songs. Then the rugs were removed and everybody danced. The party included: Mr. and Mrs. James Grant, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Rittenhouse, Mrs. Morgan and daughter Jennie Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. D. Marqueth, Lila Shea, Mrs. B. Wood and her four daughters.

### BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

While P. B. Chandler was temporarily marooned on his front porch last Saturday evening, friends entered his premises from the rear and burst upon him with a birthday surprise party. A happy evening of music and dancing was enjoyed, with some special dance numbers by Lucile Barnes and Divina Wood.

The house had been beautifully decorated with ferns, Shasta daisies and carnations. After the dancing refreshments were served and Mr. Chandler was presented with a variety of very nice and very useful gifts. The guest list included: Mr. and Mrs. Barnes and family, Mrs. Kinney and three children, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Chandler, Mrs. B. Wood and four daughters, David Black, Mr. A. L. Chandler and Mrs. Emma Barnes.

### ALUMNI DANCE

The last of the school parties was given Saturday evening when the Alumni of Union High gave a dance in Masonic Hall, Glendale, in compliment to the class of 1917. Before the music began a brief business session was held at which officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Dorothy Hobbs, president; Ed Seay, vice-president; Alice McCoy, secretary; Owen Rhodes, treasurer. A speech of welcome to the new class was made by J. Henry Ilse, the retiring president, Ed Seay responding for the class. The decorations featured the class colors and the patriotic sentiments of the time, the music was excellent, and in all respects it was a pretty and satisfactory function.



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#### RED CROSS

Every woman in Tropic is invited to come to the headquarters of the Tropic Red Cross Auxiliary in the City Hall next Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock to help in the making of hospital supplies. Ladies will be there to give out and direct the work. Those who do not care to sew can cut material for the ambulance pillows. Every woman should bring scissors. Every woman will be welcome whether she belongs to the organization or not.

At this writing published figures show that Los Angeles County has over subscribed its allotment for the Red Cross fund and contributions are still coming in.

Tropico has secured a fine enrollment of members who should make a strong working organization. Come out next Monday to the City Hall at one o'clock and get started on the work.

Mrs. Gregory has received a letter from Mrs. Nina Richards of Paloma avenue dated Rockford, Illinois, where she is visiting her daughter. She reports a pleasant journey and a nice visit with relatives in Denver. She

expects to be absent about two months.

Remember that the dance by the Acacia School Club at the K. of P. Hall on the evening of July 3rd is a benefit for the Tropic Auxiliary of the Red Cross.

Petitions for an election to vote on the question of annexation to Los Angeles are being circulated with every prospect that enough names will be secured to insure action by the city trustees.

The friends of Dr. H. E. Sharp of Eulalia street will be glad to know that he has been granted his license by the State Board of Medical Examination as a physician and surgeon. Immediately following the examinations Dr. Sharp left with his family for the east. Mrs. Sharpe and her children will spend the summer in Evanston, Ill., with Mrs. Sharp's mother. The doctor has business interests which will take him to New York, Washington and other large cities of the Atlantic coast.

#### FALSE RUMOR

We wish to announce that the rumor which has been circulated to the effect that we favor annexation to Los Angeles is entirely false. We are and always have been in favor of the consolidation of Tropic and Glendale.

MR. and MRS. C. M. TURCK.

Miss Irene Rich is visiting her sister, Mrs. Horace Miller in Los Angeles.

## Palace Grand Theatre

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Thursday, July 5—William Farnum in "American Methods."

Friday, July 6—Wallace Reid in "Prisons Without Walls."

Remember—Matinee Every Day—2:30

## PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

All members were present when the Board was called to order Tuesday evening.

### Weed Nuisance

Communications read by the City Clerk included a letter from property owners on Acacia avenue complaining of weeds on the Shank property on the north side of Acacia between Mariposa and Adams, and petitioning for legislative action to enforce the removal of the weeds. The City Clerk was instructed to write the agent for the property asking him to clear it of weeds.

The Clerk also read the written opinion of City Attorney Shaw elaborating and confirming the oral opinion delivered by him last week to the effect that the city must return to Mr. Todd on his demand the petition left by him with the Board, for the consolidation of Tropic and Glendale, because it could not at the present time be legally accepted and filed by the city.

### City Flag

Under the call for committee reports Trustee Veselich stated he had ordered, subject to the approval of the Board, an 8 by 12-foot flag at a cost of \$21.00, which was the best price he could get on a flag of that size. On motion of Trustee Henry the Board instructed Mr. Veselich to purchase the flag at the price named.

### Street Signs

President Peters recommended relative to the street signs considered at the last meeting that 31 be purchased, at a cost of \$2.00 per corner, for use on Brand and San Fernando Boulevards as far as the ornamental lighting systems have been constructed and that the rest of the city be left for a while because, in the event of annexation, the names of streets may be changed. Moved by Trustee Veselich that President Peters be instructed to purchase 31 of the signs at a cost of \$2.00 per corner. Carried.

### Armenian Relief

The question of the Board's legal right to appropriate funds from the City Treasury for the proposed fund

for Armenian relief, which had been turned over to the finance committee, was referred to the City Attorney who expressed a doubt of the right of trustees to make such appropriations for foreign relief. Thereupon, on motion of Trustee Henry, the request for a donation was ordered placed on file.

### Red Cross Quarters

In response to the request of the Chairman of the Tropic Red Cross Auxiliary, the Board voted to donate the use of the Council Chamber for afternoon meetings of that organization and the use of another room for the storage of materials and equipment.

### Cesspool Permit

The question of a permit for a cesspool for the new bank building on Brand Boulevard was brought up and Building Inspector Fairfield was instructed to require the cesspool to be made 5 feet in diameter and 25 feet in depth in conformity with the building ordinance.

### Demands

Demands approved by the finance committee were allowed and ordered paid as follows: Tropic Sentinel for publication of dog notice \$3.00; ditto for Ordinance No. 127 \$13.72; Ed. Fairfield \$3.25; Towel Supply Co., \$1.50; Geo. Miller, street work \$10.00; J. S. Ripley \$1.50; Geo. Betton, street discs \$4.55.

City Clerk Van Wie reported that the removal of the S. P. tower was in progress and Engineer Wattles was instructed by the Board to inspect the work and look after the city's interests in that connection.

The Board then adjourned.

### NOTICE OF SALE OF PROPERTY DELINQUENT FOR NON PAYMENT OF BOND ISSUED FOR THE IMPROVEMENT OF PARK AVENUE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that default has been made in the payment of that certain Street Improvement Bond described as follows: Street Improvement Bond No. 10, Series 1, dated July 9, 1913, for the sum of \$43.44, bearing interest at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, issued to represent Assessment No. 14, for the improvement of Park Avenue, in the City of Tropic, upon the hereinafter described property mentioned in said bond.

That the holder of said Bond thereafter on the 20th day of June, 1917, duly demanded in writing that the City Treasurer of the said City of Tropic pro-

ceed to advertise and sell the lot or parcel of land mentioned in said bond and hereinafter described, in accordance with the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled, "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and amendments thereto; and the said bond or its unpaid remainder with accrued interest as expressed in said bond thereupon became due and payable immediately, and on the day following, to-wit, the 21st day of June, 1917, became delinquent.

That the property mentioned in said bond is that certain parcel of land situated in the City of Tropic, County of Los Angeles, State of California, more particularly described as follows:

Lot A in Tract 927, as per map recorded in Book 16, page 153 of Maps, in the Recorder's office of said County, State of California.

That the amount due on said bond is as follows:

Principal sum thereof	\$34.76
Interest accrued on said bond	5.99
Total amount due on said bond	\$40.75

all of which remains unpaid.

That the name of the owner of said property mentioned in said bond is unknown.

Notice is further given that unless the amount due on said bond and the interest due thereon, together with the cost of publication of this notice are paid according to the law, I, S. E. Brown, as City Treasurer of the City of Tropic, under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by law, will, on the 14th day of July, 1917, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, sell at public auction the real property hereinbefore described and mentioned in said bond, at the office of the said City Treasurer, in the City Hall at the south west corner of Tropic Avenue and Brand Boulevard, in said City of Tropic, and that I will so sell the said real property to the person who will take the least amount thereof and pay the amount due on said bond, together with penalties and costs; that the said sale will be made in accordance with the provisions of the act above mentioned.

This notice will be published for two weeks in the Tropic Interurban Sentinel, a newspaper of general circulation published in said city of Tropic which is hereby designated by me for that purpose.

Dated June 22, 1917.

S. E. Brown

City Treasurer of the City of Tropic

The regular union service which will be held Sunday evening in the Presbyterian church, will be in the interest of Armenian and Syrian relief. Tropic's allotment for this is \$25 per month for one year, which it is hoped will be secured. Prof. Victor E. Marriott of Pomona will speak.



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